OBITUARIES

Vincenzo Volturo

Vincenzo Volturo, 91, of Appomattox, died at 7:30, August 8, 1979, in Virginia Baptist Hospital. He was the husband of the late Ruffina Volturo.

Born in Naples, Italy, he was a son of Alexandra Volturo and Filamena Negra Volturo. He was a retired building contractor and a member of Our Lady Of Peace Catholic Church in Appomattox.

He is survived by a son, Antonia Volturo of Appomattox; sister, Josephine V. Viscione of New Jersey, 12 grandchildren, 28 great-grandchildren and a great-great-grandchild.

A Christian wake was held at 8 p.m. on August 8 1979 in Robinson Funeral Home by Father Peter Bunder.

Funeral services were held at 10 A.M. Saturday in Lake Ronkonkoma, N. Y.

The family suggests that those wishing to make memorials consider the building fund of Our Lady Of Peace Catholic Church.

William Robinson

William C. Robinson of Stratford, Conn., formerly of Amherst, departed this life August 7, 1979, in Lynchburg. He was the husband of Mrs. Dorothy B. Robinson of Stratford, Conn.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by an uncle, George Robinson of Gladstone; two nieces, six sisters-in-law and four brothers-in-law.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Saturday at Mount Marine Baptist Church, Kiddsville by the Rev. Carter Weeks. Interment was in the church cemetery.

Wright's Funeral Home, Amherst, was in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Ray W. Maddox

Brenda Johnson Maddox, 31, of Spout Spring, died at 4:30 p.m. Thursday, August 9, 1979, from injuries sustained in an automobile accident near Bent Creek. She was the wife of Ray William Maddox.

Born in Lynchburg, she was a daughter of Willard Thaxton and Eleanor Mayberry Johnson of Lynchburg. She was a member of Gospel Baptist Church.

In addition to her husband and parents, she is survived by a son, Ray W. Maddox, Jr. of Spout Spring; two daughters, Linda Kay Maddox and Sherry Lynn Sloan, both of Spout Spring; three brothers, Willard T. Johnson Jr., Bobby L. Johnson and J. Tony Johnson, all of Lynchburg, and a sister, Patricia J. Gardner of Lynchburg.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Saturday in Whitten Park Avenue Chapel by the Rev. Larry Henderson. Burial was in Fort Hill Memorial Park.

Denise M. Sloan

Denise Michelle Sloan, 10, of Spout Spring, died at 4:30 p.m. Thursday, August 9, 1979, from injuries sustained in an automobile accident near Bent Creek.

Born in Lynchburg, she was a daughter of Ray William Maddox of Spout Spring and the late Brenda Johnson Maddox. She was a student of Appomattox Elementary School, and a member of Gospel Baptist Church.

In addition to her father, she is survived by a sister, Sherry Lynn Sloan of Spout Spring, a half brother, Ray W. Maddox, Jr., of Spout Spring and a half sister, Linda Kay Maddox of Spout Spring.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Saturday in Whitten Park Avenue Chapel by the Rev. Larry Henderson. Burial was in Fort Hill Memorial Park.

Edna P. Adcock

APPOMATTOX - Edna Pauline Adcock, 70, of Appomattox, died at the residence of Mrs. Annie Laurie Babcock.

Born in Buckingham County, she was a daughter of the late George Eldridge Adcock and Sarah Ragland Adcock. She was a member of Memorial United Methodist Church.

She is survived by two sisters-in-law, Mrs. Ouida Swan Adcock and Mrs. Georgie Stowe Adcock, both of Madison Heights, and a number of nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m. Monday in Robinson Funeral Home by the Rev. P. Edward Leonard with burial in the Babcock family cemetery.

James Lambert

James Albert Lambert of Route 4, Appomattox, departed this life Thursday, August 9, 1979 at Guggenheimer Memorial Hospital.

Born in Appomattox County, he was a son of the late Wilson Lambert and Gracie Branch Lambert. He was a member of Jordan Baptist Church in Appomattox.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Cossie Lambert; three sons, William Lambert of Lynchburg, Robert Lambert of Amherst and James Lambert Jr. of Appomattox; two daughters, Mrs. Elizabeth S. Culpeper of Appomattox and Mrs. Mollie Hubbard of Concord; five brothers, Jasper Lambert and Clarence Lambert, both of Appomattox, Curtis Lambert of Lynchburg, Fred Lambert of Rustburg and Joe Lambert of Concord; a sister, Mrs. Mazie Ferguson of Lynchburg; and a host of grandchildren and other relatives and friends.

Funeral services were conducted at 1:30 p.m. Sunday from Jordan Baptist Church, Appomattox County, by the Rev. C. L. Elliott. Interment was in the church cemetery.

Community Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

BECKHAM

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Gibbs Martin during last week were Mrs. Larry Yeatts, Mr. and Mrs. James Martin, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Moore Jr. Crystal Carter spent several days in this home. Visiting on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Alfred C. Martin and boys, Mrs. Stanley Oglesby, Mrs. Geraldine Moore and Mr. and Mrs. Everette Moore.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Robert Morris and family recently were Mrs. Geraldine Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Schmutz, Edward and Jennifer, Mrs. Carrie E. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Beanie Branch, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Tuck, Mr. and Mrs. Howlett Drinkard, Miss Eunice Martin, Mrs. Tommy Drinkard, Mark Scott, and Jeff, Mr. and Mrs. Jetson Morris, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Martin Jr.

Ronnie Morris spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. William Watkins and family of Vienna.

Carolyn Jo Morris spent the weekend with friends at Virginia Beach.

Mrs. William Jones is spending this week visiting her mother, Mrs. H. C. Moore and also relatives and friends in Richmond.

Oakville

The Tatum Reunion was held at the Oakville School Sunday August 12. Approximately 70 people were present for this happy occasion. Relatives attended from Michigan, Roanoke, Harrisonburg, Richmond, and Lynchburg as well as the ones that attended from this vicinity.

Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. M. W. Drinkard were Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Irby, David, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Slade, Suzanne and Christie and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Crews of Lynchburg.

We are happy to report Mrs. Roland Smith is home and doing very well.

We are looking forward to Mrs. W. Clarke Moore coming home in a few days.

Red Oak Revival is on this week. If you havent attended you are missing a good spiritual message in word and song. It is time yet to enjoy several more services.

CHESTNUT GROVE

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Repass were Sunday visitors of Mrs. Janie Repass at Waynesboro. She is improving nicely from her surgery.

Thursday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Senger were Mr. and Mrs. Preston Senger and family of Crewe.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bryan last week were Mrs. George Ott, Mrs. Brenda Loveday and children all of Knoxville, Tenn.

The Homemakers Club met Monday with eight members present.

Robin Keith of Glen Allen is spending this week with Kary Morris.

The Don Morris family and The Roger Morris family attended homecoming at Bethel Methodist Church Sunday.

Several from this community attended homecoming at Concord Baptist CHurch Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. St. John of Pamplin were Sunday night visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur St. John.

Miss Nancy Wilson has returned after spending last week with her father in Tampa, Fla. She visited in the A. N. Morris home during the weekend. Also little Amy Waycaster spent the weekend in the same home.

Mrs. T. N. Saul was a Monday visitor of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Moore Jr. at Appomattox.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Lawrence and children of Roanoker spent Friday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Don Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Beasley of Roanoke spent the weekend with their families and attended homecoming at Concord Baptist CHurch Sunday.

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Special music will be provided by various local groups and singers from Liberty Baptist College and a message by the pastor, Ron Gallagher will complete the service.

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Class of '29 Held 50th Reunion

The Class of 1929 of Appomattox High School held its 50th Class Reunion August 4, 1979. Class members attending were, front row, left to right, Miss Kate O'Brien, teacher; Mrs. Helen W. Harvey, teacher; Mrs. Gladys Van Volkenberg Morton, teacher; R. C. Hubbard, Rachel Dickerson Babcock, Dora Abbitt Conner, and Hallie Chilton; and on back row, left to right, Virginia Thomas Cooper, Gertrude Wooten Olesh, Verta Simms Arthur, John P. Alvis, Virginia Lee Thompson Hill, Lucy Smith Caldwell Pack, Edith O'Brien, Eleanor Harwood Caudle, Homer C. Babcock, Louise Marks Burks, Gladys Martin Taylor, Eva Phelps Marsh, Virginia Moore Hunter, J. Roy Conner and Robert P. Shirey.

The Class of 1929 of Appomattox High School held its 50 year Class Reunion Saturday night, August 4th, 1979 at the "old Appomattox High School."

Nineteen of the former classmates and their spouses were present and three of the faculty members for a delightful evening of fellowship, reminiscing and stories were told of their 50 year accomplishments since high school.

Robert Hubbard led in prayer in Latin that he has been taught under Miss Kate O'Brien and then translated the prayer into English.

This senior class had thirty-seven members, thirty-two girls and five boys. Of this 37, 27 graduated and of the 37 only 9 are deceased. Class President was Homer Babcock and Dora Abbitt Conner was Class Secretary.

Robert C. Hubbard was chairman of the Reunion Committee. He was assisted by Dora Abbitt Conner and Eleanor Harwood Caudle.

The evening concluded with a sing-a-long - songs of the 20's and the 40's.

Money Tree Surprise

On Sunday, August 12, 1979, Mrs. A. S. Jordan of Appomattox was really surprised with the presentation of a money tree by her three daughters. It all happned after the Annual Homecoming Services at the St. Joy Baptist Church in Buckingham County. The event took place in Sprouses Motel. Festivities began by Miss Annette Miller's reading of an original poem:

Mother, Mama Meta, Mimi, Armeta
Whatever you choose to say
Just please don't call her Granny
'Cause she can't take it that way
We're joined together to honor you
For all the kind things you endlessly do.
It was hard to decide just what it would be -
So Jean suggested a money tree.
LaVaughn made it and the poem Carsue created.
As a small token of love, We
Present to you this money tree
May its branches stand for everything good
For that's how we want it to be.
God bless you always.

With love, All of Us

Those in attendance were Mrs. Jordan's daughters and their families: Mrs. LaVaughn Stovall and her husband, Leon, of Richmond, Va.; Mrs. Carsue Miller, her husband, Paul, her son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Miller and their sons, Kevin and Christopher, and her daughter, Annette Miller of Lynchburg, Va.; and Mrs. Jean Austin and her children, Robert, Janine and Kim Austin of the Bronx, New York.

In addition to her children, grandchildren and great grandchildren, many other relatives and friends were involved. Money "grew" on this magical tree in many sizes and denominations.

Rockbridge Community Festival Planned For September 1

Preparations for the 1979 Rockbridge Community Festival are now in full swing, according to festival director Greg Raetz.

"All of the 135 exhibit spaces have been reserved, representing 116 different exhibitors. This is a substantial increase above the 97 exhibitors participating in last year's festival," Raetz said.

One-third of the exhibitors are from the Rockbridge area, while the majority will be coming from other parts of Virginia. One artisan will be traveling from western New York to display her hand-crafted calicos.

Tony Crawford, deputy director in charge of programs announced that the well-known bluegrass band, "Halls of Ceres," is the latest addition to the schedule of events for the city. "There will be something for everyone at the festival, from a puppet show to antique cars to the milking contest, Crawford stated.

Ten special events have been scheduled thus far, however, it is anticipated that other performing groups will be added to the agenda prior to September 1.

Raetz estimated approximately 8,000 persons will attend the festival on September 1, and indicated many members of the local Jaycees, Kiwanis, and Rotary clubs are now working hard toward the completion of facilities to serve the many visitors.

"The festival is largely intended to be a celebration of the creative talents represented within the Rockbridge area and for the people of the community. I hope everyone will take advantage of this great opportunity," he added.

The all day event will get under way Saturday morning, September 1, at 10 o'clock and continue until approximately 5:00 p.m. For more information, contact the Rockbridge Community Festival in care of the Chamber of Commerce or the Lexington Visitor Center.

VA Questions And Answers

Q - My father reached age 78 in March 1979. Is he eligible for the 25 percent increase in his VA pension?

A - No. Public Law 95-588 eliminated the 25 percent increase in rates for veterans attaining age 78 on or after January 1, 1979. However, those pensioners who attained age 78 before January 1, 1979, do retain the 25 percent pension increase they received.

Q - I am a veteran taking nurses training in a VA Vocational Rehabilitation Program. Will VA pay for the uniforms I require for the training?

A - VA will not pay for uniforms or other apparel worn instead of ordinary clothing. Apparel or other items needed for protective purposes will be authorized for veterans in vocational rehabilitaiton training.

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Be especially careful of film that is developing soft, bubbly portions with a noticeable odor. Part of this reel can still be saved.

Planning activities for the Longwood College Reading Center are (from left): Judy Johnson of Appomattox; Lora Tester, of Forest; Sarah Adams, of Altavista; and Dr. Mary Stuart Woodburn, director of the Center. As part of their summer study in diagnostic and remedical reading techniques, Ms. Johnson, Tester, and Adams served as tutors in Longwood's six-week reading improvement program for area children and young people.

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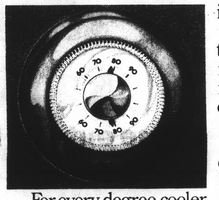

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Children In Braces Give Gum Disease The Brushoff

Norfolk, Va. - Gum disease, thought by many to be a problem for adults only, frequently appears in children. It can be a serious problem for children in braces.

Dr. Robert L. Boyd, a University of Florida Dental College professor, told Virginia orthodontists that at a three-day scientific meeting here.

He urged the orthodontists - and parents - to be alert to the symptoms of gum disease.

Dr. Boyd said that parents bringing their children in for an orthodontic evaluation at age 7, as recommended by the American Association of Orthodontists, should not hesitate to ask about gum disease.

The Florida professor, himself an orthodontist (braces) and periodontist (gum disorders) said that gum disease in children becomes progressively more difficult to treat as they grow into adulthood. It can lead to bone damage and premature loss of teeth.

Untreated gum disease can nullify the work of braces in straightening teeth to achieve a correct bite. "That's why it's important for parents to know about gum disease," he said. "It doesn't make sense for a patient to undergo 18-24 months of orthodontic treatment if gum disease counteracts the whole thing," he added.

"Fortunately," he explained, "we know what causes gum disease. It's plaque - a combination of millions of little bacteria that grow on food debris left in the mouth. Plaque can be defeated by good tooth brushing and flossing."

Dr. Boyd stressed that good tooth brushing is especially important for persons wearing braces. "Let's face it," he said, braces provide places where food debris can be trapped. That means opportunities for plaque to build up. Good tooth brushing can be trapped. That means opportunities for plaque to build up. Good tooth brushing during treatment is an absolute must."

He noted that the American Dental Association recommends that children get flourides through a floridated water system or by taking flouride pills. He said that children who use flouridated water during childhood and adolescence have 50-to-70 per cent fewer cavities. This can be improved further by the use of flouride toothpaste and a topical flouride gel.

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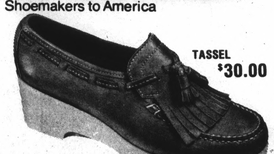

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